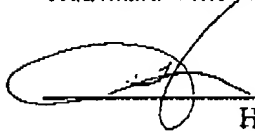


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In response to the Office Action dated June 4, 2002, please amend the subject application as follows:

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All of the non-allowed claims are reproduced for the benefit of the Examiner.

1. (TWICE AMENDED) An electromagnetic shielding plate for shielding electromagnetic radiation by covering at least a part of an object comprising:

- a conductive covering plate having a plate surface and an edge; and
- a plurality of connecting strips provided along the edge of said covering plate, said connecting strips extending along said plate surface and downwardly from said

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